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1. THE TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR SUBJECT MEETINGS ON JULY 6
AND 7 IS AS FOLLOWS:
JULY 6: 1000--OPENING SESSION AT COMMERCE DEPARTMENT,
ROOM 3817. REMARKS BY A.H. SAMIY, JAMES MOORE, COMMERCE
CHAIRMAN AND OTHER PARTICIPANTS AS APPROPRIATE. 1430-1600
WORKING GROUP MEETINGS. JULY 7: 0900-1100--WORKING GROUP
MEETINGS AT HUMPHREY BUILDING (PART OF HEW), 200 INDENPEN-
DENCE AVE., S.W. 1430-1530--CLOSING SESSION AT COMMERCE
DEPARTMENT, ROOM 3817. WORKING GROUP REPORTS AND
RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FURTHER COLLABORATION.
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2. COMMERCE WILL CHAIR THE PD OPENING AND CLOSING SESSIONS.
THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS HAVE AGREED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
OPENING SESSION AND POSSIBLY THE CLOSING SESSION. THEIR
REPRESENTATIVES WILL ATTEND VARIOUS WORKING GROUPS.
DR. MARTIN CUMMINGS, DIRECTOR, NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE;
DR. DAVID HAMBURG, PRESIDENT, OR MR. KARL YORDY, EXECUTIVE

OFFICER, INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE; DR. JOHN F. SHERMAN,
VICE-PRESIDENT, ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN MEDICAL COLLEGES.

3. THE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH AND DEPARTMENT OF
HEALTH, EDUCATION AND WELFARE WILL ALSO BE REPRESENTED BUT
PARTICIPATION BY SPECIFIC OFFICIALS HAS NOT BEEN CONFIRMED.
DR. PETER BOURNE'S OFFICE HAS BEEN CONTACTED AND
POSSIBILITY OF DR. BOURNE'S PARTICIPATION WAS DISCUSSED.
SHOULD DR. BOURNE BE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE FORMAL SESSIONS,
IT MAY BE POSSIBLE TO ARRANGE A MEETING FOR DR. SAMIY.
WE ALSO HOPE TO HAVE OFFICIALS FROM THE AMERICAN NURSES
ASSOCIATION AND THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES OF
NURSING PARTICIPATE IN THE MEETINGS.

4. MEMBERS OF IMCI MEDICAL BOARD MENTIONED IN REF B,
PARA 2 HAVE BEEN INVITED TO ATTEND MEETINGS. DR. THEODORE
COOPER WILL ATTEND THE OPENING SESSION AND POSSIBLY A
WORKING GROUP; HE WILL BE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE CLOSING
SESSION. THE OTHER OFFICIALS ARE EXPECTED TO REPLY TO THE
INVITATION NEXT WEEK.

5. IN CONSULTATION WITH MR. F. SAMIY, DIRECTOR OF IMCI
WASHINGTON OFFICE, WE ARE ORGANIZING THREE WORKING GROUPS

IN HEALTH CARE, RESEARCH, AND MEDICAL EDUCATION.
MR. SAMIY SUGGESTED DR. H. NASR ATTEND THE HEALTH CARE
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WORKING GROUP, MR. H. HABIB-AGAH AND MR. M. REZA VAGHEFI
ATTEND THE RESEARCH WORKING GROUP AND DR. H. KAZEMI ATTEND
THE MEDICAL EDUCATION WORKING GROUP. THIS WILL PERMIT
DR. A.H. SAMIY TO ATTEND THE WORKING GROUP OR
GROUPS OF HIS CHOICE. WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF ARRANGING
FOR THE AMERICAN PARTICIPANTS IN THE WORKING GROUPS.

6. KATHLEEN KEIM IN COMMERCE/CAGNE (202-377-3993) IS
COORDINATING THE MEETINGS AND IS KEEPING MR. F. SAMIY
APPRISED OF DEVELOPMENTS AS THEY OCCUR. NEWSOM

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